Before the U.S. Department of Energy Washington, D.C. 20585

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In the Matter of:)	
)	Case Number: 2010-CW-1403
Hudson-Reed Limited	ý	
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REQUEST FOR DATA

Date issued: March 2, 2010

On September 1, 2009, the Department of Energy (DOE or the Department) received a complaint regarding Hudson Reed "shower tower" model number AS333. The complaint alleges that testing of this model demonstrated that the showerhead exceeds the Federal maximum water flow rate requirement.

DOE's regulations for enforcement, contained in 10 CFR § 430.70, state that DOE may conduct enforcement testing of a covered product upon receiving information in writing that a particular covered product may not be in compliance with the applicable performance standard. The first step of this procedure is for the Department to examine the manufacturer's test data.

In accordance with 10 CFR § 430.62(d), the Department requests that Hudson Reed submit the test data, including a complete test report, for model AS333 to Laura Barhydt via email at Laura.Barhydt@hq.doe.gov, within 10 days of receipt of this letter. If you would like to meet with representatives of the Department to discuss the compliance of this model, please suggest a suitable date.

Companies are prohibited from distributing in commerce any covered product not in compliance with the applicable DOE energy conservation standard. Any person who knowingly violates this provision may be subject to fines of up to \$200 per violation, i.e., per product distributed in the United States. 42 U.S.C. 6303.

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